

**BUYING A NEW CAR** *Group*

Fill in the chart below for your own special needs and desires regarding a new car. Cut out a newspaper ad for a car that has the options you want. Compare your notes in a group discussion.

MY WHAT-I-WANT-IS-NOT-NECESSARILY-WHAT-I-GET CHART

		WHAT I WANT	WHAT I NEED	WHAT I CAN AFFORD	WHAT I GET (Results: 2 out of 3)
1.	Standard transmission				
	Automatic transmission				
2.	Small car				
	Sports car				
	Sport utility vehicle				
3.	No air bag				
	Driver's side air bag				
	Driver + passenger airbags				
4.	4 cylinder				
	6 cylinder				
	8 cylinder				
5.	Standard steering				
	Power steering				
6.	Standard brakes				
	Power brakes				
	ABS				
7.	No air conditioning				
	Air conditioning				
8.	AM-FM radio				
	AM-FM-CD stereo				

Internet Activities

Access the Internet and look for information about new cars and new car options. Print out the information. Bring it to class for discussion.